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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Amendment P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action mailed September 20, 2007, Applicants have filed this Amendment and Response. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to withdraw the rejections to this Application, and grant allowance of this Application in view of the following amendments and remarks.